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2 **DECLARATION OF HOWARD D. SCHOMER**

3 I, Howard D. Schomer (also known as Homer Schomer),
4 declare as follows:

5 1) For a number of years I was involved in intense
6 litigation with various Church of Scientology entities. I
7 was represented by Michael J. Flynn, a Boston attorney, as
8 well as the law firm of Contos & Bunch, A California law
9 firm.

10 2) Approximately two and one half years ago my lawsuit
11 was settled along with various other lawsuits and claims
12 which were at that same time pending against Scientology.
13 The settlements, to my knowledge, also included litigation
14 that Scientology entities had pending against various
15 persons and entities.

16 3) I am aware of the fact that the settlement
17 negotiations stretched over a lengthy period of time and
18 involved numerous attorneys, including those representing
19 me. Since the time of the settlement there have been no
20 problems between Scientology and me, we each appear to have
21 gone our own ways. The other parties who I know, who
22 settled their matters with Scientology at the time of my
23 settlement, to my knowledge have also been at peace with
24 Scientology.

25 4) I was recently subpoenaed to a deposition by BENT
26 CORYDON in this case. I am not sure why I was subpoenaed
27 since I have virtually no knowledge concerning Mr. Corydon
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2 and know nothing of his experiences within the Church of
3 Scientology.

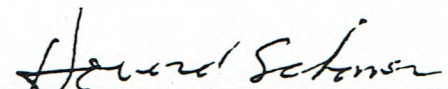
4 5) I believe I met Mr. Corydon on one brief occasion
5 while we were both in the Church of Scientology, either in
6 Florida or in Los Angeles. The meeting consisted of no more
7 than an introduction and a quick exchange of social
8 pleasantries.

9 6) I have no knowledge concerning Mr. Corydon's
10 experiences within the Church nor do I know anything about
11 what transpired between Mr. Corydon and Scientology after he
12 left the Church (which I am told was prior to the time I
13 left Scientology in December of 1982).

14 7) Since I left Scientology I have spoken to Mr.
15 Corydon on one or two occasions when he telephoned me asking
16 me for information that he could use in a book he was then
17 writing about Scientology. ^{*}This was in late 1986, a number
18 of years after both Mr. Corydon and I had left Scientology.

19 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing
20 is true and correct.

21 Executed this 28th day of October, 1989 at Pomona,
22 California.

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24 HOWARD SCHOMER
Declarant

25 * HE ALSO CAME TO my Apartment Approx DEC/1986
26 WHERE HE TAPED AN INTERVIEW FOR FACTS FOR his book
27 FOR Approx 2 hours. Howard Schomer
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